(*b*) if so, the nature in brief of the report ; and

(*c*) the action taken by them on it ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The report contains suggestions for the reorganisation of the Veterinary Branch of the department and for the improvement of livestock in the State.

(*c*) The proposals are under detailed examination and a lump sum provision of Rs. 90,000 has been made in the budget for 1121 for implementing the suggestions made by Dr. Millen.

MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: ഡാക്ടർ മില്ലന്റെ റിപ്പോർട്ടിന്റെ സാരാംശമെങ്കിലും സംഗ്രഹമായി പറയുവാൻ മന്ത്രിക്കു കഴിയുമോ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: It is a fairly long report. I can only summarise the salient points.

PRESIDENT: Is it placed on the table of the members ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: Yes Sir, on the Secretary's table.

PRESIDENT: That may be placed on the table of the House.

Agricultural demonstration centres.

395. ***MR. P. M. VARGHESE:** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) how many agricultural demonstration centres are there in the State ;

(*b*) what are the subjects selected for demonstration, *i. e.*, kinds of cultivation chosen for demonstration purposes ;

(*c*) what are the results of the demonstration so far conducted ;

(*d*) which are the places where these demonstrations were and are being conducted ;

(*e*) whether demonstrations with chemical manures have been conducted ;

(*f*) whether the results are encouraging ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: (*a*) Thirtyeight during the current year.

(*b*) Demonstration of (i) improved methods of cultivating important crops like paddy, co-coanut, bananas etc., by the use of improved implements, better manures, selected seeds etc.

(ii) prevention and control of crop pests.

(iii) introduction of useful ancillary occupations such as poultry farming, bee-keeping etc.

(*c*) The demonstrations have proved that by adopting scientific methods of cultivation the yield from crops can be considerably increased as compared to what the ryot ordinarily gets.

(*d*) * A list of the centres in which demonstrations have been conducted during the current year is laid on the table.

(*e*) and (*f*) Yes.

MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI (*Nominated*): സർ, ചങ്ങനാശേരിക്കു റിച്ചിയിൽ ഒരു ഡമോൺസ്ട്രേഷൻ സെൻറർ ഉള്ളതായി കാണുന്നു അതു ഡിപ്പാർട്ടുമെൻറിൽനിന്നാണോ, അതോ പ്രൈവറ്റ് ഏജൻസിയാണോ നടത്തുന്നത്?

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MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: ഡിപ്പാർട്ടുമെൻറിൽ നിന്നും വളങ്ങളും മറ്റും കൊടുത്തു വേണ്ട സഹായങ്ങളും ചെയ്യുവാനുണ്ട്. ബാക്കി കാര്യങ്ങളും എല്ലാം പ്രൈവറ്റ് ഏജൻസിമുഖേനയാണ് നടത്തുന്നത്.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: May I know where these demonstration centres are conducted. Are they on Government lands or private lands.

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: They are on private lands.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): May I know whether any agricultural demonstration centre exists in Muvattupuzha or Devicolam taluk?

MR. K. R NARAYANA AIYAR: Yes, Sir.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: How many?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: I would invite the Honourable member's attention to the list which shows that Kothamangalam is also a centre which is in the Muvattupuzha taluk.

MR. K. K. CHELLAPPAN PILLAI: Is proper notice given to the agriculturists so that they may also take part in these demonstrations?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: Yes, Sir.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: May I knew whether the lands taken for demonstration belong to Government or private parties?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: The plots belong to private parties. We conduct the demonstration in collaboration with the owners of the lands.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: May I know who has to look after the safety of the cultivation; is it the private owner or the department?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: The private owner.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: What is the responsibility of the owner to look after the safety of the cultivation?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: Because the ower gets the benefit of the demonstration.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: What is the nature of the proportion of the cost of manure if it is supplied. Is it paid by the owner or by the Government?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: It is supplied free of cost.

MR. P. M. VARGHESE: What is the nature of the account that is taken from the owner. Is it controlled or inspected by the Department or does the Department believe what the owner says?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: It is done under the direct supervision and inspection of the Agricultural officers who ask the owner to maintain the necessary records. The whole thing is being watched by the Department.

Construction of latrines in Police stations.

396. ❋ MR. K. R. NARAYANAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have taken any step to provide each Police station with a public latrine and if so the progress thereof?

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Appendix II.

Vide Answer to Question No. 395.

List of demonstration centres in 1120.

Trivandrum Division	1	Kottaram.
	2	Kadukkara.
	3	Darsanamcope.
	4	Kadiapattanam.
	5	Muttacaud.
	6	Pattom.
	7	Sasthamangalam.
	8	Menamkulam.
	9	Nedumangad.
	10	Kunthallur.
Quilon Division	11	Mangad.
	12	Kottarakara.
	13	Kadakkal.
	14	Karunagapally.
	15	Chettikulangara.
	16	Adoor.
	17	Shencotta.
	18	Chingoli.
	19	Pathanapuram.
	20	Koni.
	21	Pathanamthitta.
	22	Chenganoor.
	23	Karuvatta.
	24	Vallikunnam.
Kottayam Division	25	Puthupally.
	26	Puliyannoor.
	27	Kurumpanadam.
	28	Kurichi Changanacherry.
	29	Thalayolaparambu.
	30	Vadakara.
	31	Ezhupunna.
	32	Kothamangalam.
	33	Thodupuzha.
	34	Pulluvazhi, Perumpavoor.
	35	Kalady.
	36	Kongoorpally.
	37	Ezhikara.
	38	Thottuva.

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